



RESOLUTION
TO SUPPORT ASSIGNING CHIEF PETTY OFFICERS TO THE CORPS OF CADETS
AS SILVER BADGE COMPANY CHIEFS


Whereas, the Board of Trustees of the U. S. Coast Guard Academy has the responsibility to provide guidance and advice to the Superintendent, Chief of Staff, and the Commandant; and


Whereas, the Board of Trustees recognizes the need for cadets to report aboard their first tour ready to lead enlisted personnel; and


Whereas, the Board of Trustees has seen an opportunity to increase the ability of the Academy to impart leadership competencies and the Core Values on the future officers by assigning well qualified Chief Petty Officers as Silver Badge Company Chiefs. This need has also been noted in the Junior Officer Needs Assessment (JONA) and the Senior Enlisted Needs Assessment (SENA) and comports with the 2000 NEASC findings.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees of the U. S. Coast Guard Academy supports this proposal in concept and evaluates this proposal as fully supporting G-W's Business Plan.

Be it further resolved that the Board of Trustees requests that G-W investigate a pilot program to be put in place for assignment year 2001 and develop long term alternatives.


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